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WANTED

Tenders for cutting 100 cords of 4 ft. wood on the Okanagan Fruit & Land Co's., estate. All tenders must be in by the 21st. All orders for fruit trees must be in by end of this month in order that they may be shipped in our car

Okanagan Fruit and Land Company, L't'd.
F. R. E. D'Hart, Manager.

The Big Store

Large Remnant & Clearing Sale.

Continuing till end of the month every remnant in the store must go and we have made the price so low you cannot refuse to buy. Every article will be marked in plain figures come and help yourselves. Let us mention a few of the lines we are offering:—Dress Goods, Fancy Blousings, Silks, Ribbons, Flannels, Flannelettes, Table Linens, Prints, Ducks, Sheetings, Towelings, Canton Flannels. Being overstocked in a few lines of Ready-to-Wear Garments we will quote you prices below:

Ladies Skirts	
Reg. price	Sale price
\$ 7.00	\$ 5.50
6.00	4.75
4.50	3.50
4.00	3.00
3.25	2.50

Ladies Tweed Suits	
Reg. price	Sale price
\$11.00	\$ 3.00
10.00	2.75
8.50	2.50

Ladies Mantles	
Reg. price	Sale price
\$13.50	\$ 8.50
12.50	7.75
8.50	5.50
8.00	5.25
6.00	4.25

Ladies Wrappers	
Reg. price	Sale price
\$ 2.00	\$ 1.45
1.75	1.25
3.50	2.25
1.22	.95

Ladies Blouses	
Reg. price	Sale price
\$ 3.50	\$ 2.45
2.75	1.75
2.25	1.50
2.00	1.35
1.75	1.25
.75	.50

25 per cent. Discount on
All Furs

Just Arrived

Men's Puff Ties
Newest On The Market

Lequime Bros. & Co.

KELOWNA, B. C.

Penticton.

From Our Correspondent.

McDougall & Co., of Fairview, are putting up a commodious livery stable on the townsite.

Percy Marks, of Vernon late proprietor of the Vernon House in that place, is making arrangements to erect an hotel here in the near future.

Some idea of the magnitude of the mining operations being conducted in Camp Hedley can be obtained from viewing the amount of machinery awaiting the freighters on the Penticton wharf. Six or seven cars have been shipped to this point in the last few months for the Daly Reduction Co.

Miss Ashworth, the local teacher, has added to the usual curriculum instructions in sewing, singing, and physical culture. Her pupils appear to be making highly satisfactory progress.

E. Delong, our genial "village blacksmith" has sold his location to a Summerland capitalist at a handsome figure compared with the price at which it was purchased two years ago. Mr. Delong purposes erecting another shop of much larger dimensions—a two story building—the upper part of which he will fit up for a hall.

The telephone line between Penticton and Spence's Bridge on the C.P.R. main line, is rapidly approaching completion, and the reign of the sweet-voiced "hello" girl is swiftly approaching. Already Princeton and Nicola Lake are in communication with each other, and men are at work stringing the wires between this place and Hedley City.

A party of Vancouver men interested with Chas. F. Law in Similkameen fruit lands, came in on Monday's boat to inspect some of the places recently purchased by Mr. Law near Keremeos. Although not so widely advertised as the Okanagan, the Similkameen Valley will yet be heard from as a fruit-growers paradise. It is quite the equal of this Valley in soil and climate, and possesses the additional advantage of having a nearer market in the form of a rapidly growing mining community. Its full development, however, is not possible until a railway is constructed through it.

Penticton is awaking from the lethargy caused by the blighting land monopoly that has existed here for years, and a general air of expectancy has replaced the old mental attitude of its citizens, due to the authoritative statement made by the Shatford syndicate to the effect that the deal for the Ellis estate had been finally brought to a successful conclusion and surveyors would immediately be put to work dividing the land up into ten acre plots for disposal to purchasers. A fine tract of land between Okanagan and Dog lakes, comprising about 4000 acres will first be placed on the market, after which that portion of the estate reaching from Dog Lake to Osoyoos will be opened up for settlement. A large influx of settlers is expected, as no finer fruit land exists in southern B. C. than can be found in the lower Okanagan valley. No doubt choice lots near Penticton will be eagerly sought, and good prices for such land will be easily obtainable. The survey parties will be put to work under the superintendency of F. H. Latimer, C. E., who has won an

enviable reputation throughout this section as an engineer who does his work thoroughly and expeditiously. L. W. Shatford, M. P. P., is to be complimented on bringing to a successful issue the negotiations that have been proceeded from many months for the purchase of this estate. His enterprise has made it possible for many hundreds of families to find homes where formerly a few herds of cattle roamed at will.

E. Weddell was a passenger by the Aberdeen to Vernon to-day.

The lowest temperature recorded this winter at Kelowna has been four degrees above zero.

John F. Burne has purchased a residential lot in the Parkdale sub-division of the Lequime estate from Messrs Pooley & Carruthers.

F. I. Moore, the enterprising representative for Thorne, Berry & Co., Tea Importers, Vancouver, was in town Thursday, in the interests of his firm.

MCKENNA—FRASER

On Sunday the 8th inst. in the Roman Catholic Church, Vancouver, Jas McKenna and Miss Mary Fraser were united in marriage. Both Mr. and Mrs. McKenna are well known in this district. They will reside on Jos. Christian's farm when they return to Kelowna.

The Weather

Official weather report of this district for the month of December, 1904, furnished by F. E. R. Wollaston:

Date	Maximum temperature	Minimum temperature
1	47.4	28
2	44.7	33.6
3	46.1	26.2
4	39.3	32
5	38.8	24.6
6	36.3	29.8
7	38.4	31.9
8	38.6	30.7
9	37	31
10	37.6	28.8
11	41	30.1
12	36.7	30.2
13	40	32.2
14	37.8	31.4
15	40.9	32
16	41.2	26
17	39.9	28.7
18	41.8	24.6
19	41	30.9
20	43	21
21	32.2	24.4
22	35.8	17.4
23	33	24.7
24	34	23.5
25	23.4	9.2
26	26.5	12.1
27	30.4	18.5
28	31.2	23
29	35.1	23.2
30	37	24.2
31	41	19
Rain,		.02 in.
Snow		3.95
Melted snow		.99
Total precipitation		1.40

Notice

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after this date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 220 acres of land in the Osoyoos Division of Yale District and more particularly described as follows: commencing at a post in the center of Section 4, Township 20, running thence west 80 chains; thence North 40 chains; thence East 80 chains; thence South 40 chains to point of commencement.

JAMES HARVEY

Vernon, B. C., Jan. 17th, 1905.

Private Auction Sale Of Household Furniture

Including a piano at \$350, a \$48. range for \$35.00, a \$12. parlor air tight heater for \$8, a small sheet iron stove for \$2, pipes at 1/2 price, \$14 extension table for \$10 1/2 doz. dining room chairs each \$1.75, 1 oak bedstead and springs \$5, 1 small oak table \$4, music and book rack \$4, 1 leather seated rocker \$5, 1 spring seated rocker \$4, 1 low rocker \$1.50. Everything must be sold before Tuesday.

Mrs. Curtis

By HOWARD FIELDING

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As I passed the house, I caught a glimpse of Lucy Ann's gray gown and bonnet in the main porch. The girl was leaning against a post of the trellis, as if watching the moon which shone above the hill. Her face looked so haggard, old and weary that I halted suddenly when first I saw it among the leaves. She had not noticed me till then, and she sprang back, startled. Perhaps she thought I could not see that she put up both hands to her face, but I could well perceive the gesture despite the screen of foliage. Upon the instant I spoke her name, but she pretended not to hear and hurried into the house.

It was incredible that "Miss Jones" should not have seen the pitiful romance so near her, so closely involved with her own, but she was doubtless busy with her own trouble, the dreadful peril that she might have to marry me in order to pay the lifelong debt of gratitude that she owed my father. The thought made me laugh, especially because I was on my way to hear her sing, to play at love with a voice and pretend I did not know whose it was. And that view of the matter brought me the recollection of my talk with Derringer and his assertion that I was wholly in error. I prayed to the moon that Derringer might be right as I loosed the boat from her moorings and floated out into the lake.

I looked at my watch and was surprised to find that it was nearly 10 o'clock. The girl had given me up and returned to the apple tree lodge. Given me up? This was taking for granted that she prized these evenings as I did, and I had not the right to do it. "Miss Jones" could have no interest in singing with me. It would be hardly fair to Trask. Yet beyond a doubt it was the girl who sang, and Trask had sent lilies to her. If she were not "Miss Jones," why, that again was hardly fair, and if the girl were not Sibyl there could be no explanation of anything.

our summers—the stealing of apples from Dyar's red tree to which the bulldog was chained, the midnight alarm rung by Deacon Hobart's horse tied by his tail to the bell rope of the church, the assortment of gravestones from the marble yard set up in a growsome and suggestive row on Dr. Westcott's lawn. The joy of all these feats and the sentiment of May baskets fastened by trembling hands upon the doorknob of my sweetheart's house—a different doorknob every year, thanks to the blessed inconstancy of boyhood—these were revived in my heart when I decided to go ashore. It was taboo, but I would dare it.

I made the landing with great care

The Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., Limited, Montreal & Winnipeg.

The fire was built upon an iron grating laid across this fissure and secured at one side by a chain fastened to an eyebolt set into the rock. I judged that this apparatus had to do with fish dinners cooked beside the lake. It ex-



I made the landing with great care.

Behind the rearward boulder the ledge rose ten feet, rounded like the inside of a cup, and from its summit there was a gentle slope to meet the descending grade of the orchard. At the little cliff's foot was a singular conformation of the rocks where one might recline in great comfort, and upon taking my place there I discovered that it was possible to look out upon the lake without being greatly dazzled by the fire and still be almost entirely shielded from observation.

I glanced upward. The curling lip of the ledge made a clear gray line upon the sky. There was a singular illusion of height; the rock towered above me as I lay almost prone. Then suddenly I was aware of something fluttering downward. It startled me because it seemed to be falling all the way from the sky. I thrust up my hand and caught a rose, also a very large and competent thorn, but that is a matter of no consequence.

In an instant I was upon my feet, posed like the lady martyr in the familiar picture of "The Last Token," looking, as she did, for my love who had flung the rose. I forget what luck she had in this matter, according to

"I had noticed how she sat when she was sketching at the foot of the orchard," said he, "and I had marked out a bald rock on the hill from which one might have a good view. Well, it took me a long while, but I found it. Really I thought it was no harm. I fancied that this whole thing was a trick and

It was such a pretty thing to do. I could not, absolutely, I could not picture her kneeling upon the edge of that rock to look down upon me and let fall the rose without some touch of beauty glorifying her in the moonlight. It would be a crime of nature. My heart cried out against it.

THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY.

TESTIMONIAL from the late **SIR SAMUEL BAKER**, the famous Nile Explorer.
"Newton's Great Peppermint Cure" have
been the subject of my thanks as I wished to
test the effects of Blair's Pills by a suc-
cedent interval of time.
"For ten years I had suffered acutely
from indigestion and had lost its attrac-
tion owing to the uncertainty of health
and sudden visitations of the enemy
which prostrated me for months, or weeks
according to the virulence of the attack."
"Blair's Pills" have rendered me immense
service as I no longer fear an attack
of Gout.
"For the last twenty months I have
been comparatively free, as one of two
important visitations have been imme-
diately stamped out by the assistance of
Blair's Pills.
"Truly yours (Signed) Saml. W. Baker.
Lyman Sons & Co., Montreal and Tor-
onto, B. C. Druggists, Winnipeg, and
Martin, Bole & Wynne Co., Winnipeg.



BIG SHIRT

That's the reason why the H.B.K. "Big" Shirt never chafes the armpits, is never tight at the neck or wristbands, is always loose, full and comfortable and wears well.

Each shirt bears a tiny book that tells the whole history of the "Big" Shirt, and also contains a notarial declaration that the H.B.K. "Big" Shirt contains 39% to 42 yards of material per dozen.

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with this brand:—**



HUDSON BAY KNITTING CO.

Montreal Winnipeg Dawson

Not Secured.—First Boy: "I see Patsy has broken all home ties." Second Boy: "Wot do yer mean?" "His mudder tied him ter de bed-post, so he couldn't go swimmin'."

ENGLISH-CHINESE CANNOT BE DEPORTED.

A New York despatch says: A man born in a European country of a Chinese father and English mother may not be deported from the United States under the Chinese exclusion act, according to an opinion handed down the other day by Judge Holt in the United States district court. The case in which the decision was made was that of San Yuen, whom the federal authorities sought to deport. He is 40 years old and had been in this country twenty-four years. His counsel contended that inasmuch as his mother was an English woman and he was born in England, he was as much of an Englishman as a Chinese, and therefore could not come within the meaning of the statute excluding Chinese. This contention was sustained by the court, who held that upon question of descent, the mother's status governs.

GREAT ROAR AT VESUVIUS.

The cone in the crater of Mount Vesuvius, which formed during the late eruption, fell into the crater a few days ago with a tremendous roar. There immediately ensued explosions that shook the whole mountain, followed by the emission of an immense black column, which gradually spread, falling in the form of ashes over the surrounding country within a radius of 25 miles. The disturbance lasted but a short time.

A PILL FOR GENEROUS EATERS.—There are many persons of healthy appetite and good digestion who, after a hearty meal, are subject to much suffering. The food of which they have partaken lies like lead in their stomachs. Headache, depression, a smothering feeling follow. One so afflicted is unfit for business or work of any kind. In this condition Parnee's Vegetable Pills will bring relief. They will assist the assimilation of the aliment, and used according to direction will restore healthy digestion.

Plenty of Advice.—"His trouble was just due to a neglected cold." "A neglected cold? I don't believe there ever was such a thing. No man ever had a cold without having at least a dozen friends attending to it for him."

MINARD'S LINIMENT Cures Dandruff.

Merely a Suggestion.—He: "What can I do to prove my love for you, dearest?" She: "Well, I don't know whether there is anything in it or not, but I have heard that absence makes the heart grow fonder."

C. C. RICHARDS & CO.

Dear Sirs,—A few days ago I was taken with a severe pain and contraction of the cords of my leg, and had to be taken home in a rig. I could not sleep for pain, and was unable to put my foot on the floor. A friend told me of your MINARD'S LINIMENT, and one hour from the first application, I was able to walk, and the pain entirely disappeared.

You can use my name as freely as you like, as I consider it the best remedy I have ever used.

CHRISTOPHER GERRY.

Ingersoll, Ont.

Unconscious Missionaries.—Some scientist tells us that a steady diet of prunes will strengthen the moral character. Thus many a good boarding house mistress is unconsciously a missionary.

IT IS A LIVER PILL.—Many of the ailments that men have to contend with have their origin in a disordered liver, which is a delicate organ, peculiarly susceptible to the disturbances that come from irregular habits or lack of care in eating and drinking. This accounts for the great many liver regulators now pressed on the attention of sufferers. Of these there is none superior to Parnee's Vegetable Pills. Their operation though gentle is effective, and the most delicate can use them.

BILLIARD PLAYERS WALK 17 MILES IN A GAME.

The Brasserie Mele, formerly the Maison Dore, Paris, which was one of the most famous restaurants of the Second Empire, has been the scene of one of the most remarkable games of billiards ever played in the French capital. The players were Messrs. Janssaud and Cohen, and the game was kept up continually for 24 hours. The match took place by gaslight, and the strain on the players' eyes, as well as upon those of the spectators, was very trying. A large crowd was in attendance all the time, for the French are passionately fond of billiards. Two doctors and a couple of masseurs were also in constant attendance, but their services were not required, though toward the close of the game one of the players was so flushed as to seem perilously near an apoplectic stroke, while the other was pale. Messrs. Cohen and Janssaud both carried pedometers, and it was found at the end of the game that the winner, M. Janssaud, had walked seventeen miles, while his opponent covered thirteen. The men were not allowed to leave the room for more than a minute at a time during the twenty-four hours that the game lasted, and by way of nourishment, consumed only extract of meat, kola and drank sweetened water. The score at the close was: J. 8,238; Cohen, 3,196.

Those whom neglected coughs have killed were once as healthy and robust as you. Don't follow in their paths of neglect. Take

Shiloh's Consumption Cure

The Lung Tonic right now. It is guaranteed to cure. It has cured many thousands.

Why Not?—A Joplin (Mo.) young woman has been divorced twice in one year and has collected \$2,400 in alimony. She finds the business so profitable that she may engage in matrimony as a regular occupation.

MINARD'S LINIMENT Relieves Neuralgia.

Would Work a Hardship.—The eminent investigators were about to discover the microbe of crime. "Don't do that, gentlemen, for heaven's sake!" instantly exclaimed the great army of detectives, policemen, wardens, jailers, turnkeys, and criminal lawyers. "What will we do to live?"

South American Rheumatic Cure Cures Rheumatism.—It is safe, harmless and acts quick—gives almost instant relief and an absolute cure in from one to three days—works wonders in most acute forms of rheumatism. One man's testimony: "I spent 6 weeks in bed before commencing its use—4 bottles cured me."—46

"Yes," said the giraffe, "I've got a sore throat. Can you imagine anything worse than that?" "Well," replied the centipede, "I had my feet frostbitten once."

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc.

Side Line.—"Smithers says his hotel barely pays expenses." "Then how does he manage to bank so much money every week?" "He sells theater tickets to his guests."

Lever's Y-Z (Wise Head) Disinfectant Soap Powder dusted in the bath softens the water and disinfects. 38

And She Did.—"Woman!" hissed the villain between cigarette puffs, "do your worst!" Whereupon the beautiful hand-painted heroine meandered down to the footlights and began to warble the latest popular song.

DO NOT DELAY.—Do not let a cold or a cough fasten upon you as it will if neglected. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil will cure a cold and break up a cough, and should be resorted to at once when the first symptoms appear. It can be disguised so that any unpleasant taste it may have will be imperceptible to the delicate. Try it and be convinced.

At the Reception.—Ox-eye Daisy: "You don't recognize me, do you?" Chrysanthemum (nodding graciously): "Why, yes, of course; we belong to the same family. You are one of my country cousins."

A Cry for Help.—A pain in the back is a cry of the kidneys for help. South American Kidney Cure is the only cure that hasn't a failure written against it in cases of Bright's disease, diabetes, inflammation of the bladder, gravel, and other kidney ailments. Don't neglect the apparently insignificant "signs." This powerful liquid specific prevents and cures.—70

CHEMICALS BLEW UP.

One man was instantly killed, another fatally injured and a brick building, used as a storehouse by the Bulls Ferry Chemical Co. at Shady-side, N. J., was wrecked Monday by an explosion of chemicals. John Koelach, a workman, was killed outright, and F. H. Hammer, superintendent of the plant, was so seriously injured that he died soon after reaching the hospital.

Sunlight Soap does not harden or shrink woollens

It is injurious chemicals and adulterations in common soaps that destroy your clothes. It is adulterations that harden your woollens and the excess alkali that destroys and shrinks them.

Sunlight Soap

contains no adulteration or excess alkali. It is just pure saponified fats and oils. That is why it cleanses your clothes perfectly in hard or soft water and does not injure them. All dealers are authorized to return your purchase money if you find any cause for complaint.

LEVER BROTHERS LIMITED, TORONTO

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The Sunlight Maids find that flannels do not shrink when washed the Sunlight way

AMERICANS IN NORTHWEST.

A Chicago exchange says: The American element in the great Northwest rapidly is becoming a most important factor in molding the future of that part of Canada. The newcomers who arrived from the United States to settle in the wheat country during the financial year formed 34.66 per cent of the entire immigration, against 33.65 per cent. British, the balance being made up of Galicians, Italians, Jews, Germans, Russians, Finns, French and Belgians in the order named. All reports from trustworthy sources indicate that the American percentage of the total immigration next season will show an increase, and this is not at all unlikely to exceed the figures from the mother country. But it must not be forgotten, in looking at future possibilities of development along the lines of nationalities, that there is a steady migration of the young Canadian element from the older provinces into the Northwest, and that a proportion of the American settlers consists of Canadians who settled in the border northwest states and are returning to Canada, or the sons of Canadian settlers in the northwestern states.

MINARD'S LINIMENT for Sale Everywhere.

Openings sometimes come to men and oysters when least expected.

We have no hesitation in saying that Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial is without doubt the best medicine ever introduced for dysentery, diarrhoea, cholera and all summer complaints, sea sickness, etc. It promptly gives relief and never fails to effect a positive cure. Mothers should never be without a bottle when their children are teething.

"When does a man begin to want to get married?" asked the inquisitive youth. "When the woman in the case begins to want him to," replied the sage from Chicago.

Indigestion, that menace to human happiness, pitiless in its assaults, and no respecter of persons, has met its conqueror in South America. This great stomach and nerve remedy stimulates digestion, tones the nerves, aids circulation, drives out impurities, dispels emaciation, and brings back the flow of perfect health. Cures hundreds of "chronics" that have baffled physicians.—68

They Were in Luck.—"What did the ladies say when you told them I was not at home?" "Sure, wan av thim said it's ather bein' better 't be born lucky than rich."

Superfluous Hair

Removed by the New Principle

De Miracle

Electrolysis, X-ray or depilatories are offered you on the bare word of the operators and manufacturers. DE MIRACLE is not. It is the only method which is indorsed by physicians, surgeons, dermatologists, medical journals and prominent magazines. Booklet will be sent free, in plain, sealed envelope.

Your money back without question if it fails to do all that is claimed for it. DE MIRACLE mailed, sealed in plain wrapper, on receipt of \$1. Write for it to-day to DE MIRACLE CHEMICAL CO., 23 QUEEN STREET WEST, TORONTO, or THE ROBERT SIMPSON COMPANY LIMITED TORONTO, ONT.

Immune.—The scorching automobilist was about to run over a group of Salvation Army people who were holding a meeting at the street corner. "What would be the use?" he muttered. "These people are prepared for death." Whereupon he slowed up and passed around them.

Cannot Point With Pride.—Lady: "Unmusical. — 'Is your daughter 'Aren't you ashamed to beg?' Hobo: 'learning to play the piano?' 'I hope 'No, mum, but I am ashamed of so,' answered Mr. Cumrox, 'but it some of de handouts I gets.'"

Children Had Skin Disease

Itching so Bad They Would Tear Their Flesh—An Extraordinary Cure by Dr. Chase's Ointment.

Too many children are in agony from itching, burning skin disease.

Too many mothers are worn out by anxiety and loss of sleep in watching over the little ones who are tortured by such ailments.

Dr. Chase's Ointment is a prompt and positive cure for every form of itching skin disease, and has proven its marvellous power in thousands of cases, similar to the one described below.

Mrs. Lois McKay, Tiverton, Digby County, N. S., writes: "My children were taken with an itching, burning skin disease and tore their flesh until it was sore and their shirts would sometimes be wet with blood. The doctor did not seem to know what ailed them, and could find no relief, so I began using Dr. Chase's Ointment. 'Wherever it was applied it did its work well, and has entirely cured them of this horrible disease. They suffered so they could not sleep nights, and I think if it had lasted much longer I would have gone crazy from the anxiety and loss of sleep. I cannot find words to praise Dr. Chase's Ointment enough for the good it has done my children, and hope other sufferers will try it.'"

Dr. Chase's Ointment, 60 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Company, Toronto. To protect you against imitations, the portrait and signature of Dr. A. W. Chase, the famous receipt book author, are on every box.

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References:—Any Bank or Commercial Agency. GRAIN EXCHANGE, WINNIPEG, MAN.

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All kinds of grain purchased in Car Load Lots. Write us for top prices and shipping instructions. Any grade of wheat, oats, barley or flax. P. O. Box 629, Winnipeg, Man.

THOMAS LAW. Ship Your Grain to WILLIAM LAW. LAW BROS.

We handle grain strictly on commission. Highest Prices obtainable. Liberal advances. Trades carried on margins in Winnipeg's futures. Correspondence solicited. GRAIN EXCHANGE, Winnipeg.

I AM THE OLDEST Established Grain Commission Merchant in Winnipeg.

Consign your grain to me and get prompt service, careful attention, and highest market prices. S. SPINK, DRAWER Reference: UNION BANK of CANADA. 1300.

SHIP your grain to us to be sold on arrival or afterwards, as you may wish. We do a strictly commission business, in which we have had 20 years' experience. Prompt and reliable work guaranteed.

Liberal advances. Correspondence solicited. Licensed and Bonded. Reference, Bank of Hamilton: Exchange Branch, DONALD MORRISON & CO., Grain 416 Grain Exchange, WINNIPEG, MAN.

MARCH-WELLS GRAIN CO.

Grain in car lots bought on track or sold on commission. Reasonable advances made. Prompt returns. Correspondence solicited. References: Any Bank in Winnipeg. ROOM 414, GRAIN EX. BLDG., WINNIPEG.

SHIP GRAIN Through a Strictly Commission Firm. Write To-day for Full Particulars.

Thomson, Sons & Co. COMMISSION MERCHANTS, WINNIPEG.

IT IS AN EASY MATTER to sell a large lot of wheat at a better price than a single car will bring.

If you will ship your wheat to us we will sell it with many other cars either locally or in the East, and you will get from 1-cent to 1 cent per bushel more for it than if you sold it on track at your station. We have had 17 years' practical experience in the grain business. This, also, is worth something to you.

McLAUGHLIN & ELLIS Grain Exchange, Winnipeg. REFERENCES: Any Bank or Commercial Institution.

Ayer's Pills

Sugar-coated, easy to take, mild in action. They cure constipation, biliousness, sick-headache. J.C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Want your moustache or beard a beautiful brown or rich black? Use BUCKINGHAM'S DYE

If it is a Question of Warmth use E. B. EDDY'S BUILDING PAPER

It Retains Heat and Keeps out Cold.

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R. H. SPEDDING, Proprietor,
W. J. CLEMENT, Editor. H. M. SPEDDING, Manager.

THURSDAY, JAN. 19th, 1905.

Greater Than Has Been

For many years pessimists have been prophesying the down-fall of the British Empire. They point to the greatness of Egypt, Babylon, Assyria, and Rome, which has become merely a remembrance. However only a little reflection is necessary to note the vast difference between the greatness and power of those nations and that of our Empire. Among the ancients, power was largely centred in one individual, while the great masses of the people were in absolute serfdom, so that the down-fall of an empire was at times accomplished by the overthrow of a single ruler. In those nations the expansion of power and the acquisition of new territory were accompanied by the most terrible cruelty and oppression. The ruled, in the eyes of the law, existed merely for the benefit of the rulers; so that disintegration really came as a volcanic eruption from the terrible forces within. As the power of empire grew the rights of the individual diminished until the whole system fell away with its own rottenness.

The British Empire, on the other hand, has been accompanied in its growth by the development of individual freedom and enlightenment, and its overthrow would necessitate the overthrow of a whole people. We do not claim perfection as a nation, but the rights of the whole people are better recognized throughout Britain and her colonies than in any other part of the world. Never has a step taken in the interests of progress been retraced. Conservatism has been marked throughout in the maintaining of sound institutions, yet a conservatism that has never withstood necessary reform. Today the Empire is stronger than ever before, not merely because it extends over greater territory, or that its population is more numerical, but because to-day its citizens are more intelligent and have a higher conception of individual and national justice. The fact that there are those of our citizens who are loud in their condemnation of certain existing political evils, shows strength rather than weakness. The freedom of speech and the freedom of the press are among the greatest factors in progress, and those we enjoy in marked contrast to most other nations.

The breaking away of the American Colonies was a decided gain, not only to the Americans, but also to the Mother Country herself. Since that time greater colonial possessions have been built up and not one has been lost, and in all these the most complete freedom prevails. The loss of the United States has been only a loss in name, as the two nations, with the same traditions, language and literature, have gradually drawn together in commerce and interests to such extent as to make war between them impossible. We look forward to a federation that will include the Mother Country, the then full grown colonies, and the

American Union. Such a compact of democratic people would be the greatest safeguard to the peace of the world that has ever been established, and would to an inestimable extent assist in the progress of the world and determine the destiny of humanity.

There are now at least 130 millions of English speaking people, or about seven times the number of a century ago. At the same rate of increase, another century will see over 900 millions, or over half the present population of the whole earth. There is every reason to believe that the rate of increase will be even greater in the present century than in the last, as the fields for settlement and development are much greater than ever before—Canada, Africa, Australia merely beginning to be opened up. The influence the settlement of those countries, with their free institutions, will have upon civilization, can readily be imagined.

There is a law in nature which makes right permanent, while wrong perishes. So it has been with the great nations of antiquity. They were founded upon a wrong principle, that of selfish ambition. Consequently they had to give place to more enlightened systems. Great Britain has already stood the test of time, the present dynasty having existed for 838 years, unequalled by any of the other great nations of history, and is to-day more vigorous than ever. We do not contemplate a disruption, but rather more complete unity, because we are united upon the principles of the equality of mankind. We believe that every citizen of this great country can proudly boast the privileges he possesses of building up a free and permanent nationality.

Incorporation Again

We understand that a start has been made towards securing signatures on the incorporation petition. It is hoped the matter will be pushed through with the greatest expedition, as there are many standing necessities about the town that cannot be dealt with satisfactorily as things are now. For instance the question of fire protection, so often referred to in these columns, cannot be adequately attended to. "What is everybody's business is nobody's business," is quite applicable to conditions here. The town has now reached sufficient development to make organization imperative. Kelowna is being widely advertised, which is being met by a healthy response in the way of immigrants. We should be equal to the occasion, and make "progress" our watchword. Let each one realize that not only the prosperity of the community is involved but that it means much to the individual business man. There is every reason to believe that, with the awakening of our citizens, Kelowna may in a short time become the most important town in the Okanagan. Then let the matter be pushed through as though we mean business.

We understand that some of our citizens were going to circulate a petition asking for a ferry on Okanagan Lake at Kelowna, but lately we have heard nothing about it. In mentioning this before, it was not at all with the thought that such a step was absolutely necessary, as we believe that the Premier and Mr. Ellison can be relied upon to carry out the promises made here a month ago; but we believe, as we did then, that a petition showing forth the feeling of the entire district on the matter would be a decided assistance to those who have the cause in hand.

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Kelowna.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Dr. Boyce is putting up a fine large barn on his place in town.

Wallace Budder, returned from Enderby on Wednesday.

J. B. Hunt, of Carberry, Man., was among the arrivals on Monday.

R. Morrison has bought two acre lots from the Okanagan Fruit & Land Co.

Mr. Collins, of Carman, Man., has bought an acre lot from the Okanagan Fruit & Land Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson of Carman, Man., were among the settlers who came in on Monday.

A carload of farm machinery arrived for the Kelowna Land & Orchard Co. on Saturday.

Mr. Sproule arrived from Oxbow, Man. on Saturday to visit his son, S. Sproule of this place.

The Methodist are making preparations for the erection of a parsonage, work upon which will be begun in a short time.

Attention is called to another column in which will be seen the advertisement of household furniture by Mrs. Curtis.

There will be a meeting of the K. B. W. A. at the home of Mrs. Bengert on Friday the 27th inst. A full attendance is requested.

The wife and family of F. Bawtinheimer arrived from Vernon on Wednesday. There will reside in Kelowna in future.

H. C. Jenkins, who has been confined to his room for a few days with a severe attack of neuralgia, is able to be at work again.

The bachelors of Kelowna will hold a ball on February the third. Anyone wishing to participate in making it a success may consult E. J. Wilkinson.

Mrs. Jas. Hayward and her daughter, Mrs. Jas. Elliott, of Peachland, spent a few days in Kelowna last week, returning to their home on Saturday.

Wm. Kinnear, recently of Carman, Man. has bought seventeen acres and P. Stewart, of Greenwood, B. C. forty acres all bottom land, from the Kelowna Land and Orchard Co.

Messrs. Sullivan, Packer, Varty, and Jones returned Tuesday from a few day's duck shooting down the lake. They brought back several large sacks brim full of mallards. The average made by the sportsmen while out was seven ducks each per day. This speaks well for the Okanagan as a sportsman's field and also for our climate, where those birds do not deem it necessary to seek a more southern clime in which to spend the winter months.

Lots of Almanacs, French or English, at P. B. Willits & Co's.

Rev. Thos. Greene made his monthly Pastoral visit to Peachland and Trout Creek this week.

John Dilworth made a short trip to Vernon on Tuesday, returning Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Lloyd Jones returned Tuesday from a few days' visit down the lake.

Owing to the Bachelors' Ball being held next month, the Kelowna Orchestra will not hold their monthly promenade concert.

Andrew Waddell and John Kilpatrick, who arrived from Carman, Man., by Monday's boat are delighted with the country and have bought land with the intention of making their home here.

W. Murdoch and D. Leckie left Monday for a few day absence down the lake, visiting Peachland, Summerland and Penticton. After spending a few days longer in Kelowna Mr. Murdoch will return to his home in Hartney Man.

H. V. Chapin returned to Kelowna on Saturday, having spent three days in Peachland and Summerland in the interests of the Okanagan Fruit & Land Co.'s Nursery. He took thirteen hundred dollars' worth of orders. Our neighbors down the lake are going into fruit growing with a vengeance.

Our Syrups of White Pine and Tar will cure your cough. P. B. Willits & Co.

S. L. Long is engaged in dividing another block of thirty acres into acre lots for the Kelowna Land and Orchard Co. The company have disposed of a large number of acre lots during the fall and winter, necessitating this further division. The property will be placed on the market at prices within the reach of all.

The work of construction has been completed on the telephone line between Kelowna and Vernon, the central station being established in Wallis' Drug Store. Messages were interchanged at 11 o'clock on Wednesday, but connection had been made last Saturday with the local telephone system by the wires becoming entangled so that greetings were exchanged between Bankhead Ranch and Vernon. The telephone will be a great advantage to the place, but considerable disappointment has been expressed that the original plan to put in a telegraph was not carried out. This will at least give quick communication with the outside world, and is in keeping with the rapid progress being made in Mission Valley.

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JUST RECEIVED

A large consignment of Blankets, Men's Underwear, Groceries, and Crockery, which we will sell at moderate prices as usual. Give us a Call.

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House, Sign and Carriage Painters. Graining, Paperhanging and Kalsomining Decorating. All work neatly and promptly executed.

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Shoe repairing promptly and neatly done. Shop in Verrey's old stand.

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Has been thoroughly renovated throughout. First Class Accommodation for the travelling public. High classed liquors and cigars. A home for all Commercial men.

James Bowes, Prop

THE HARVEST OF WAR.

Some Statistics Which Should Cause Serious Thought.

When Attila, the "Scourge God," was beaten by Aetius at Chalons in 451, it was said he left 100,000 men on the field of battle, and the groans of the wounded among them, slowly dying where they lay, were heard for many nights afterwards, rising and falling upon the wind.

Lead never sped half the souls that have been sped by steel. The ancient broadsword and the pike were far more powerful implements of depopulation than the firearms which took their place. At the battle of Cannae, 40,000 out of 80,000 Romans were killed—i.e., 50 per cent. In the battle of Hastings the victorious Normans lost 10,000 out of 60,000 men; at Crecy, 30,000 out of 160,000 Frenchmen suffered in the horrible confusion when rank after rank of knights and men-at-arms fell over each other and died under the mere weight of their comrades. At Bannockburn 38,000 out of 135,000 were butchered, mostly in the retreat.

In proportion to the number of shots fired the losses in the Crimea were small. It is calculated that the British fired altogether 15,000,000 shots, but only 21,000 Russians were hit; therefore, only every seven hundredth shot proved deadly. The 29,500,000 shots discharged by the French in the same war killed 53,000 Russians, every five-hundredth shot taking effect. The Russians, on the other hand, killed 43,000 allied troops with 45,000,000 cartridges. Thus only the nine hundredth and tenth bullet found its billet—a proportion to be expected from such ill-prepared peasant troops. In the Italian campaign of 1859 both sides employed modern guns, and the number which fell at Solferino and Magenta amounted to 99 per thousand combatants. In the German war with France in 1870-71, breech-loaders came into general operation for the first time, and here was again demonstrated the truth of the military axiom—the better the weapons the less the fatalities.

In South Africa in 1899 the losses per 1,000 British soldiers were 64, while in Egypt in 1885 the number was only a trifle over 1 per thousand. During 12 years' smaller wars out of 92,650 soldiers taking part in them, 1,896 were killed—i.e., little more than 2 per cent.

In the Franco-German war the proportion of those who fell during seven months was 50 per thousand. According to official statistics 116,812 soldiers were wounded, of whom 99,566 recovered, while 11,023 died in hospital. Thus gunpowder in the course of time has reduced the percentage of dead from one-third to one-fourth of one-fifth, and the adoption of the breech-loader reduced this percentage still further to one-ninth.

Modern weapons are therefore not so harmful after all, it is well to remember. The old saw that every bullet has its billet will not bear examination, since it takes, most probably, a good ton of lead to kill a man in battle to-day, and a careful military critic has come to the conclusion that, all things considered, financially a soldier's life costs the enemy the substantial sum of \$7,000.

The keen, small modern bullet such as the Japanese are using disables, but in the majority of cases does not kill. It is this which, in spite of appearances, tends to make war a less and less dangerous pastime. The heavy spherical ball from the old musket was infinitely more deadly, and spear and broadsword, strange as it may seem, most deadly of all. It was in the horrible press of the ancient melee, when armies fought breast to breast for hours; in the bloody retreats, when no quarter was asked or given, and on the deserted battlefields, where there were none to see the last men die, that war made its greatest harvests.

Far-Seeing.

A blind man possessed a hundred sovereigns, and fearing that somebody might steal them, he buried his treasure in a corner of his garden. A neighbor saw him at his work, and in the night stole his money. The blind man on discovering his loss, and suspecting his neighbor, went to him, and said: "My infirmity renders me diffident, and few are the persons whom I can trust. You are one of those few, and I have come to tell you a secret, and to ask your advice. I am the possessor of a hundred pounds in gold; I have hidden half of it in a place which I believe to be secure. Do you think I would do well to put the other half in the same place?" "Yes, by all means," replied his neighbor. "Were I in your place I would do the same; there is no knowing what may happen if you keep money in your house." Having given his advice, the thief, hoping to get the rest of the blind man's money, hastened to replace the half he had stolen, and thus the astute blind man recovered his property.

Well She Might.

An old German historian of Tullien describes an attack by the French in 1674 during which eighteen persons were killed by the exploding of a mine. A soldier's wife was thrown the distance of an acre. She was not hurt, the chronicler adds quaintly, "but she scolded terribly and was in a very bad humor."

THE DOCTOR SAID THAT HE MUST DIE

But Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured J. J. Perkins.

He was Unable to Work, and Becoming Destitute, Before He Used the Great Canadian Kidney Remedy.

Tyndall, Man., Nov. 14.—(Special) Unable to work because of Kidney Disease, pronounced incurable by the doctors, and fast becoming destitute, Mr. J. J. Perkins, of this place, found new life and health in Dodd's Kidney Pills. In his gratitude he wants all the world to know of his cure, and that he owes it to Dodd's Kidney Pills. Mr. Perkins says: "After two years of Kidney Trouble I got so bad the doctor said I was incurable. I got still worse, and at times had such terrible pains in my back and kidneys that I thought I would die."

"I was unable to work and was becoming destitute when a friend persuaded me to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. Five boxes cured me completely."

G. T. P. PROGRESS.

The chairman of the transcontinental railway, on being interviewed at Ottawa, has given out the following statement: "The commissioners being desirous of familiarizing themselves with as much of the territory that will be transversed by the transcontinental railway as possible, have just completed a tour, taking in Quebec, Edmundston, Connor, Grand Falls, Woodstock, Fredericton, Boistown, St. John, Chipman, Moncton and Halifax in the east; and Winnipeg and adjoining places in the west. The work of the preliminary surveys is proceeding most satisfactorily all along the line from Moncton to Lake Abitibi and the reports so far received are very encouraging. Any doubts as to the possibility of running a good line around the corner of the State of Maine have been set at rest by the report of the engineer in charge of that section. The preliminary survey between Fredericton and Woodstock is about completed and a good line has been obtained. The parties who were working there have been moved on between Grand Falls and Edmundston. It is expected that the preliminary surveys across New Brunswick will be completed this autumn. All the parties who will be kept in the field during the winter have been supplied with all requirements and made as comfortable as possible. While at Winnipeg the commission rented offices in the new Union Bank building for the district engineer, and it is proposed to commence the work of surveying the road from that end at the earliest possible moment. At present there are thirty-four parties in the field. Arrangements are being made to send a fortnightly mail to all the interior camps, and parties wishing to send letters to persons attached to these camps should address them in care of the head office at Ottawa, from which place they will be forwarded as soon as the mail arrangements are completed, which will be in a very short time. Each camp in the interior is furnished with a rifle, double-barreled shotgun and fishing tackle. The game in this region is abundant. Mr. A. L. Ogilvie has been appointed chief purchasing agent, and Mr. A. T. Gow has been appointed chief accountant. The commission will press forward with the work of surveying as rapidly as possible, in order that construction may commence at the earliest possible moment."

There was a state ball at Government house, Ottawa, Monday night. Mr. David Pottinger, general manager of the Intercolonial railway, was present and was invested with the Imperial service order. Mr. Pottinger is a Nova Scotian by birth.

ANOTHER INDUSTRY FOR FORT WILLIAM.

Mineral paint in paying quantities has been discovered on the premises of Alfred Cooper, near Fort William. The exact location of the paint bed is in the Slate River district, and experts who have examined the article pronounce it to be of the first class. Mr. Cooper has already refused two flattering offers for the property.

A MOTHER'S PRECAUTION.

There is no telling when a medicine may be needed in homes where there are young children, and the failure to have a reliable medicine at hand may mean much suffering, and, perhaps, the loss of a priceless life. Every mother should always keep a box of Baby's Own Tablets in the house. This medicine acts promptly and speedily, cures such ills as stomach and bowel troubles, teething troubles, simple fevers, colds, worms and other little ills. And the mother has a guarantee that the Tablets contain no opiate or harmful drug. One wise mother, Mrs. Geo. Hardy, Fourchu, N. S., says: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets and find them a blessing to children. I am not satisfied without a box in the house at all times." If your dealer does not keep these Tablets in stock send 25 cents to The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont., and you will get a box by mail post paid.

THE "COWBOY EARL."

Peer Who Advertises Historic Castle Martyr For Sale Has Experienced Many Strange Ups and Downs.

Lord Shannon, who advertises the historic town of Castle Martyr, which he owns, in County Cork, as being for sale, is a peer who possesses more than ordinary interest for people on this side of the water owing to the fact that he is known as the "Cowboy Earl." At the time of his father's death, some fourteen years ago, no trace of him could be found. The last that had been heard of him was that he had been part owner of a ranch in Minnesota about four years previously, that is to say, in 1886.

But his whereabouts could not be ascertained for a long time, and much money was spent in scouring the whole of the United States and Canada, even to the Yukon, in an endeavor to apprise him of his father's death and of his own accession to the earldom before he was found living quietly in New York. During his roving life in the United States he experienced many strange ups and downs and extraordinary vicissitudes, cattle punching being the occupation in which he appears to have been chiefly engaged. Indeed for long after his return to Ireland and his establishment in his ancestral home at Castle Martyr, he used to go in for wood chopping on an extensive scale, getting rid in this manner of his superabundant energy, and his lazy cottagers reaping the benefit of his violent exertions. He was at one time after his return reported to be engaged to a Mrs. Francis Beedy of Philadelphia, but eventually married a Miss Thompson of Surrey, by whom he has several children, the eldest of whom bears the title of Viscount Boyle, Boyle being likewise his patronymic, as it is that of the earls of Cork. The Earl of Shannon is the chief of a younger branch of the family, of which Lord Cork is the head, and it is his coat of arms which is emblazoned on the head of the menu cards and of the note-paper of the Carlton Hotel, which commemorates Lord Shannon's ancestor, Lord Carlton, Minister of State to Queen Ann, and the creator of Carlton House, afterwards the residence of King George IV., as regent.

Had a Business Mind.

The late Queen Victoria seems to have exercised a suzerainty over the pocket money of her grandchildren. She held them to a strict accounting in the matter of expenditure, and if they did not make their allowances last over a specified period she sternly called them to account. One week when the present Prince of Wales was at Eton, candy, tarts and other schoolboy delights proved his financial undoing. He had spent a month's allowance in one week. With impetuosity and indignation came repentance. Accordingly he wrote a long mea culpa to his grandmother, confessing his fault, and asking for an advance on account of the next installment of pocket money. In reply he received a long letter of admonition from the Queen, refusing his request. The letter closed with a sentence in which the writer expressed the pain that it gave her in having to write to him.

A few days later, Her Majesty received another letter from the future heir to the British throne. It ran much like this:

"Dear Grandmother,—Yours received. Please don't bother any more about me. I'm all right now. I sold your letter for thirty shillings to one of our fellows here, who is collecting the letters of notable people."—Joel Coates, in "Success."

London's High Rents.

He is indeed a lucky man who owns building property within the four mile radius of London, for he can command a small fortune in the way of rental for his houses, shops or offices, as the case may be. Singularly enough, it is not in the west end of London, as many people imagine, but near the Old Lady of Threadneedle street. Some time ago one room near the Royal exchange let for between \$10,000 and \$15,000 a year, while a house agent who advertised certain properties in Throgmorton street asked \$1,200 yearly rental for each of seven telephone boxes. For a suit of three rooms on the mezzanine floor \$5,000 a year was also asked and \$10,000 required for six rooms on the first floor.

For shops and business premises in the Strand gigantic rents are paid, although, of course, Bond street is the dearest thoroughfare in the world with regard to shops. Many shopkeepers between Charing-Cross and the old Lyceum theatre pay between \$10,000 and \$15,000 rental, exclusive of rates and taxes. Perhaps one might be able to obtain a very small shop for \$3,000 or \$3,500 per annum, but such a price would secure very indifferent accommodation—probably only the one room which faced the street.

French Soldiers' Handkerchiefs.

The cotton handkerchiefs provided for French soldiers have printed upon them a number of sanitary precepts to be observed on the march and during a campaign and are further decorated with medallions containing pictures of officers of all grades, the different uniforms being so distinctly portrayed that a French private can tell at a glance to what grade an officer he may see belongs.

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Ceylon Tea. Black, Mixed or Natural Green. Sealed Lead Packets Only. Never in Bulk. By All Grocers.

Precautionary Treatment.

The Dutch peasant lives with canals all about him and reaches his cottage by way of a drawbridge. Perhaps it is in the blood of the Dutch child, says a writer in M. A. P., not to fall into a canal. At all events the Dutch mother never appears to anticipate such a possibility.

One can imagine the average English or American mother trying to bring up a family in a house surrounded by canals. She would never have a moment's peace until the children were in bed. But then the mere sight of a canal to the English child suggests the delights of a sudden and unexpected bath.

An Englishman inquired of a Dutch woman, "Does a Dutch child ever by any chance fall into a canal?"

"Yes," she replied, "cases have been known."

"Don't you do anything for it?" continued the questioner.

"Oh, yes," she answered. "We haul them out again."

"But what I mean is," explained the Englishman, "don't you do anything to prevent their falling in—to save them from falling in again?"

"Yes," she answered, "we spank them."

Calculating the Distance of a Storm.

Although lightning and thunder occur always simultaneously an interval of shorter or longer duration is usually observed between these two phenomena, which is due to the fact that sound travels only at the rate of 1,100 feet per second, while the passage of light is almost instantaneous. Based upon this fact, it is an easy matter to tell, at least approximately, how many miles a thunderstorm is away. A normal pulse will beat one stroke to the second, and by counting the pulse beats during the interval of the lightning and the thunder the lapse of seconds is arrived at and consequently the number of feet, which can be reduced to miles.

For example, if thirty seconds elapse between the flash of the lightning and the crash of thunder the storm center is at a distance of 33,000 feet or about six and one-half miles. An almost accurate calculation can be made by using a watch with a minute dial.

The Parisian Cafe Caricaturist.

Among other Parisian types described by a recent observer is the cafe caricaturist. "He is a youth with a pale face and very long hair. He looks the type of the bohemian and he is. He offers to draw caricatures for 50 centimes (10 cents). His luncheon is frequently a myth, nor is he always sure of his dinner. But, no matter what the state of his finances, he will have his absinth, to which he adds but little water. The cafe caricaturist is invariably an 'artist who has not succeeded.' He has either been at the Beaux Arts or has studied under some famous painter. Somehow or other he has come to grief and has swelled the ranks of those whom fortune has disinherited."

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An Easy One.—Schoolboy: "What are the fortunes of war?" Papa: "The money made by government contractors, my boy."

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WAR NEWS

WAR BULLETINS.

The report circulated in St. Petersburg that Gen. Stoessel has been compelled to leave the citadel of Port Arthur, and that with 10,000 men, he has taken refuge in the forts along Tiger's Tail, is denied in official circles there. Piteous appeals arrive from the front asking for warm clothing and fuel.

JAPS OFFER TERMS OF SURRENDER.

A despatch from Chefoo says that the Japanese besieging Port Arthur, ignoring Lieut. Gen. Stoessel, the commander of the Russian military forces there, have offered terms of surrender to the Russian soldiers, according to advices leaving Port Dalny, Nov. 8. In the meanwhile ceaseless activity continues with picks and spades. The Japanese are gradually advancing their trenches, which spell inexorable fate to the watching Russians. A Russian prisoner captured Oct. 28 said the troops composing the garrison of Port Arthur were in want and dispirited. They saw the fruitlessness of the struggle. Hopeless of relief, with food scarce, and medicine and hospital supplies insufficient, it was admitted by the Russians that a Japanese victory was ultimately inevitable. The soldiers, according to the prisoner, see no reason to prolong the resistance which brings glory to their officers, but chiefly hardship and death to them.

ADULTERATED WINE.

A Carcasone wine grower has been fined \$19,500 in the Paris Assize court for adulterating wines with an admixture of ingredients dangerous to health.

CANADIAN POETS.

Some of Those Who Have Given Much Pleasure to the Public.

Duncan Campbell Scott is a rising young Ottawa poet. His lyrics are probably his best work. This verse from a "Night in March" is a good type:

"At eve the fiery sun went forth,
Flooding the clouds with ruby blood;
Up roared a war-wind from the north,
And crashed at midnight through the wood."

In the "Fifteenth of April" we again note his felicity of expression:

"Lighter than the robin-bark!
Quivering silver—strong
From the field a hidden shore-lark
Shakes his sparkling song."

His "Home Song" is very pretty. It is a real Canadian poem:

"Oh, land of the dusky balsam,
And the darling maple tree,
Where the cedar buds and berries,
And the pine grows strong and free!
My heart is weary and weary
For my own country."

Rev. Frederick George Scott of Quebec is another poet whose work is very good, especially in such poems as "A Dream of the Prehistoric" and "Samson." The latter poem has attracted much attention in England. In "Dawn" Scott very neatly puts an old thought in new words:

"The immortal spirit has no bars
To circumscribe its dwelling-place;
My soul hath postured with the stars
Upon the meadows of space."

Dr. W. H. Drummond of Montreal, the poet of the "habitant" is deservedly popular. He brings out in fine style the peculiar characteristics of the French-Canadian. His "Wreck of the Julie Plante" is now a Canadian classic.

Other poets deserving of mention are: Charles Mair, author of the drama "Tecumseh"; John Reade wrote "The Prophecy of Merlin" and other poems; Clive Phillips Wolley of British Columbia, Theodore Roberts, Arthur Stringer, J. W. Bengough; C. D. Shanley (now dead), author of "The Walker of the Snow," and many others of more or less prominence. Louis Frechette is the French poet laureate of Canada.

There are about half a dozen women in Canada who write good verse. Chief of these is Miss Pauline Johnson, daughter of the late Chief Johnson of the Mohawk Indians. Miss Johnson dresses in Indian garb and recites her own poems in public. In imagination and musical rhythm her poems rank high. "Shadow River," "Prairie Greyhounds" and "The Song My Paddle Sings" are good examples of her style.

Elizabeth Roberts Macdonald, sister to C. D. G. and Theo. Roberts, has written many charming lyrics, most of which were published in "Lays of the True North."

Mrs. Jean Blewett of Toronto is, next to Pauline Johnson, probably the best known poetess in Canada. Her book, "Heart Songs," was published in 1897.

Agnes Maule Machar of Kingston, Mrs. S. Frances Harrison of Toronto and Ethelwyn Wetherald are all well-known to magazine readers as clever verse-writers. Their work is gradually gaining favor with the Canadian public.

There are many other poets of less prominence in Canada whom we have not mentioned. Indeed there are some hundreds of poetically inclined persons who are included in various Canadian anthologies. Comparatively few, however, have gained fame and fortune in the field of Canadian poetry.—W. F. Wiggins, in Toronto Globe.

Bear Island's Bell.

An interesting ceremony on a beautiful autumnal Sunday afternoon was the consecration and hanging of a new 250-pound bell of rare sweetness, cast at Troy, N.Y., and costing \$115, for the recently opened Catholic Mission Chapel located on Bear Island, Lake Temagami. Rev. Father Evan of North Temiskaming, in addressing his flock in both English and Indian, spoke warmly of how loyal and generous the Indians had been to the mother Church in contributing so handsomely to the building fund of the mission, though they had from time to time suffered various extremes and alterations of fortune. When famine had prostrated their strength, and the rigors of an Arctic winter had benumbed their faculties, their charity to the Church, their patriotism and their fortitude had never once been endangered.

Among those who acted as god-parents for the new bell, which was christened "St. Victor," were: Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Woods, Mr. L. Laughlin, Chief and Mrs. White Bear, Miss Angel Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Petrant, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Paul, Mr. and Mrs. John Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Cat.

The following Torontonians were also present: Messrs. Southworth and Montgomery, Dr. Jas. Bain, Dr. Ellis, S.P.S., A. D. Crooks, Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Crocker, Wm. J. Green, Jas. Kent, Stuart G. Jackson, A. H. Martice, Arthur Manrello and two members of Trinity Camp. Thos. E. Knowlton and James W. Barry.

Famous Dog Has Had His Day.

General French's dog "Major" died on the 5th October in Stratford. "Major" was a Dachshund, and said to be over twenty years of age. He had been for some years kept at the Boys' Home of Stratford, the result of experiments which form a somewhat interesting story. He was a great pet of General French, and went to South Africa with one of the British regiments as a mascot. But

"Major" could not land in Africa, because he had no registered pedigree. He was sent back to England, but there also he was debarred from being taken on shore. Unable to find a resting place, "Major" came to Canada, some friendly hand placing him on board a boat Canada-bound. For some time he has been very decrepit, and Wednesday he died. Top Home authorities in Stratford have still his regimental collar, which he was wearing when taken in charge by some of the Home people, who were on route for Canada on the same boat.

DISCOVERIES IN RHODESIA.

Source of King Solomon's Gold Supply Not Now in Doubt.

Among the latest arrivals in England from South Africa is Mr. R. V. Hall, F.R.G.S., who is well known as a leading authority on the mysterious ruins of prehistoric times, the monuments of which are scattered throughout southern Rhodesia, many of them being associated with the extensive ancient gold workings from which in the Biblical Ophir period enormous quantities of gold are believed to have been extracted. Mr. Hall has recently completed two years' exploration work on the Great Zimbabwe at the request of the Rhodesian Government, and also three months' examination work at the request of Mr. Rhodes' trustees in the Myanqa district, which abounds in mystery, as it contains bell towers, bell terraces, stone-lined pits and galleries, aqueducts and other relics of some long-forgotten race. Mr. Hall informed Reuters' representative that his recent operations at Great Zimbabwe had brought the enigma of these ruins very much nearer solution. His discoveries of new and hitherto unsuspected features of ancient architecture, buried buildings, gold ornaments and relics, representing the period when phallic worship was practiced, have been highly important. A large section of the latter, also of gold and other relics, has been secured. The evidences that Rhodesia was the country from which King Solomon's gold was obtained are fast accumulating. The builders of the more ancient portion of these massive and extensive ruins are believed to have been Sabaco-Arabs of about 1000 B.C., who at that time were the gold purveyors of the world. No suggestion has been made that any of the structures were erected by the Phoenicians, but distinct traces of their influence are believed to have been discovered.

A Pet Trout.

A remarkable fish story is told by a gentleman who has been spending a few days' holiday near Ingestre Hall, Staffordshire, Eng.

While he was walking round a point in the neighborhood, he says, a lady came out of a house and threw a piece of bread on the placid surface of the water. Suddenly there was a swirl, a glimpse of bright color, and the bread disappeared. Other crumbs followed, thrown nearer and nearer to the bank, and gradually there swam into view a fine rainbow trout. Without the slightest trace of shyness the fish came to the edge of the bank at the feet of the lady, and waited for more bread to be thrown, and this he swallowed up with great gusto.

The lady, in reply to questions, stated that the trout had been her pet for a long time, and had become so tame that it would even take a worm or a piece of meat from her fingers. The pool is stocked with hundreds of trout, but this, curiously enough, is the only one amongst them all to act this way.

Bank of England Note With a History.

Apocryphal of the return of Lord Dundonald, many people may not know that there is in the Bank of England a £1,000 note which recalls sad memories of the first Earl of Dundonald. After being disgraced in England on a false accusation, he joined the Brazilian navy, after service with Chile, and was its first admiral.

In 1814 he was sentenced to a year's imprisonment and to pay a fine of £1,000. The money was collected by his constituents at Westminster in penny subscriptions. Very much against his will, he paid the fine with a £1,000 bank note, on the back of which he wrote: "I submit to robbery to protect myself from murder, in the hope that I shall live to bring the delinquents to justice."

—London Graphic.

Willing to Admit It.

"That milk looks as if it were half water," protested the woman at the kitchen door.

"It is much more than that, ma'am," replied the milkman, a college graduate in reduced circumstances. "I guarantee it to be 86 per cent water, 4 per cent butter, 3½ per cent casein and 6½ per cent sugar and various salts, the combination resulting in the liquid commonly known as milk. Chemical analysis of the same cheerfully furnished whenever desired. Good morning, ma'am."

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WHERE JOURNEYS END

By CRITTENDEN MARRIOTT

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As the train came to a stop Howard Monroe glanced out of the window of the Pullman. "Twenty-four hours more," he murmured. "Well, it can't be helped. By George, that's a pretty girl! Nice old lady with her too. Hope they'll come in here."

Next moment his hopes were realized, as the two women entered the car, guided by an obsequious porter, who deposited a dress suit case and an umbrella in the section opposite. "Be here about ten minutes, ma'am," he said in answer to a question from the elder; "got to cut in some sleepers and a dinner."

"Thank you. Better sit down, Aunt Bessie."

"I do wish you had some one to go with you, Dorothy," she exclaimed in tones Howard could not help overhearing. "I can't bear to have you go alone. Your uncle never would have let you if he hadn't been sick in bed. You're sure you don't mind?"

"I don't mind the least bit in the world, auntie. We bachelor girls have to learn to do for ourselves."

"Bachelor girls, indeed!" The elder lady sniffed, while Howard felt an uncomfortable thrill of pleasure pass through him. "Old maids we used to call them. A girl's a girl, no matter what she says, and I don't like to see one traveling alone. It wasn't considered proper in my young days."

"I know," returned the girl softly. "But traveling has changed so since then, even down in this dear little out of the way corner of the south. Why, what could harm me?"

"Oh, nothing, I suppose, but I don't like it. You wouldn't even take a lunch with you," she added irrelevantly, her hospitable southern heart aggrieved. "It seems so inhospitable to send any one away without something to eat."

"You're awfully good, Aunt Bessie; but, indeed, it wasn't worth while. I'll get dinner and breakfast in the dining car and be in New York for lunch."

A sudden clanging made the elder woman start. "Gracious!" she exclaimed. "I'll be carried off! Goodby, Dorothy. Write as soon as you get to New York. I'll be anxious till I hear."

The two hurried to the platform, where the girl stood smiling and waving until the train was well under way. So well under way was it, indeed, that as she turned to enter the car a sudden lurch threw her violently to one side and made her grasp the rail to steady herself. As she did so her purse, hung to her belt by a chain, flew open and sent most of its contents at large through the yet unclosed doors of the vestibule.

Unaware of this, however, Miss Vernon walked to her seat, glancing around her just in time to see Howard watching her. Both were thinking of the good lady's anxious hospitality, and before they could recover themselves they had smiled squarely into one another's eyes.

With quickly stiffened lips Dorothy sank into her seat. As she did so her purse swung forward into her lap, exposing its emptiness to her startled gaze. With a gasp of dismay she seized and examined it. Her ticket was safe in an inner compartment, but every cent of her money was gone.

It did not take her long to decide on the moment of her loss nor the hopelessness of repairing it. Miss Vernon was a very independent young woman who on more than one occasion in the four years that had elapsed since she had begun to earn her own bread had seen her funds depleted nearly to the vanishing point, yet never before had she found herself entirely penniless. There was nothing to be done, however. To telegraph to Aunt Bessie for money would be to frighten that lady almost to death, and there was no one else on whom she felt at liberty to call. She must simply resolve to make the best of her journey, all twenty-four hours of it, without money.

Meanwhile Howard had been watching the girl out of the corner of his eye, admiring her more every moment. He had noted the look of vexation that froze the smile with which she had unintentionally favored him and had promptly averted his eyes, as if in hopes that the girl's wrath might glance off his broad shoulders. Thus, turned away, he had missed seeing her discovery of her open purse and her consequent consternation. When he had ventured to look again, she was staring straight ahead of her with what seemed to him a most inscrutable expression. In reality she was thinking of the luncheon she had refused and pondering the great truth that even a modern dining car is of little avail unless one had the price of a meal.

As the afternoon wore away Howard began to curse the conventionalities. Here he was within a few feet of this

peerless girl, as he had already begun to term her, and yet to all practical purposes was miles and miles away. He had always been slow to scrape acquaintance, even with men, and so far as he could remember, had never in his life done so with a woman. Unless Dorothy—he had heard her aunt call her Dorothy—should give him an opening he told himself sadly that he should never venture to address her.

After awhile a waiter passed through the car announcing dinner. Howard was hungry, but determined to wait until Dorothy should go in. The car might be crowded, and he might be compelled to sit with her at the same table, where he might hope that the chances of the meal might enable him to address her. But, wait as he might, Dorothy showed no signs of budging, and long after the last call for dinner had been circulated he was forced to go in alone.

While dining he wondered over the situation. The girl had eaten nothing since she came on board the train, nearly six hours before. She had no lunch with her, not even a box of candy. She was a solid, healthy girl, not by any means one of those fragile beauties who live on air, and should have had an appetite to correspond. What the dickens could be the matter?

The next morning was the same. Dorothy sat motionless, looking in the eyes of the by this time besotted youth lovelier than ever. As a matter of fact, the lack of her morning coffee had given the girl a headache, while the lack of other food made her savage and miserable.

At last came a crisis. Just as the waiter passed through with his "Last call for breakfast in the dining car!" the train stopped, not at a station, but out in a field. After ten minutes' had crept by without sign of movement, Howard, who had been waiting for breakfast as he had waited for dinner, went out to investigate. Soon he came back and went straight up to Dorothy with determination in his eyes. "I beg your pardon," he said, with a composure that astonished himself, "but we have been stopped by a wreck across the track and will be delayed at least six hours. They are going to cut off the diner and send it back as soon as breakfast is over. If you want anything to eat you had better get it now, before it is too late."

Six hours longer! The tears came into Dorothy's eyes, and her lids quivered pathetically. How could she bear it? "Thank you," she said as bravely as she could. "Thank you. But I'm not hungry."

Not hungry. Howard stared at her incredulously. To his certain knowledge she had eaten nothing for twenty-four hours. Not hungry! The thing was preposterous. He glanced at her white cheeks, then with sudden suspicion at her pocketbook. "I haven't had breakfast myself yet," he said. "Won't you take pity on me and be my guest? I can't bear to eat alone."

For an instant the girl gazed at him while a mist swam before her eyes. "Thank you so much," she said humbly. "I—I lost all my money overboard a few minutes after we started yesterday, and I'm nearly starved to death."

A year later Mr. and Mrs. Howard Monroe in the newest of new clothes, were taking the same trip northward. Aunt Bessie had just left them, and they had settled themselves for the twenty-four hour trip before them.

Howard turned to his month old bride reflectively. "Just to think," he said softly, "if I hadn't spoken to you a year ago we shouldn't have been here today. I hesitated a long time before I ventured."

"A long time! I should think so." There was much emphasis in the words.

Howard appeared startled. "Too long, was it?" he asked. "If I hadn't spoken when I did what would you have done?"

"Done?" Well, reflectively, "if you had delayed much longer I believe I should have asked you myself—and hated you ever afterward."

"Instead of?" He paused questioningly.

Dorothy looked at him smilingly. "Instead of?"—she repeated roughly—"instead of—suppose you guess!"

Choosing the Name.

"My dear, I have been reading up within the past week, and I think I have a name for the baby," said Mrs. Greening one day.

"You have, eh? What is it?"

"I read that Phœbus, the god of day, comes up bright and beautiful in the morning; that he lights the world; that without him—"

"Now, look here, madam; let's have no foolishness here. You can't call that child by any such name. Did Phœbus of history yell from 11 p. m. to 3 a. m. and intermittently from 3 to 7 o'clock? I myself am doing the god of day business in the matter of getting up, and I'm not going to divide the honors. If you want a mythological cognomen for that destroyer of rest I have it."

"What is it?" asked Mrs. Greening, with considerable asperity.

"Aurora!" brutally yelled Elisha. Then he left the house.

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How Do You Do ?

A question more frequently asked than any other and much oftener asked than answered. A very significant question as we shall see. It recalls the bond of mutual interest in the welfare of each other. It also marks the character of the race who use it. The most forceful and the busiest of earth's peoples adopted this salutation long ago and it has become a password among the British people, most of whom are habitually doing something, or else going where something is to be done. The words denote action with a purpose. But why express a phrase so common? Because the younger generation of to-day, having to deal with a thousand things their grandfathers knew nothing about, have lost or changed the time, sense and deep meaning of the most familiar words.

Taken seriously the question "How do you do?" or, as in the progressive western world, "How do you get on?" is of grave import in its personal application. When a man greets you in these words, he asks about the doings of a person who is of more consequence to you than all the gold of all the mines.

No joke this, but a serious matter to each is the value of a man to himself. Half the mischief that happens to the average young man arises from the low estimate he has made of his own value to himself. Some will trade off the best and brightest days of their golden youth for a lot of fun. A very poor bargain this, a poor investment, to give what is so precious for a thing of so little worth. Fun in the intervals of work and at special seasons is necessary and right; but to make a business of it! Why it won't keep, and nobody will take it off your hands. It is not a merchantable commodity, and will not rise in value or pay any interest on the investment.

We read in The Book of a young man who wasted his substance: not a crime punishable with death by steel or stoning, but the penalty he suffered was poverty, remorse and shame. What substance so precious as life? Who would allow his head to be chopped off in order to receive ten million dollars as the price of his head? Yet life is made up of hours, and he who wastes or misuses an hour each day, wastes one twelfth of that substance which he would not part with all at once for all the money ever coined.

The question "How do you get on?" takes for granted that you have made a start in life with a purpose, and a plan for accomplishing that purpose. To "get on" at all would mean that your mind is being stirred with useful information about necessary things; that you are sharpening your wits and training hand and eye and memory to gain expertness in your business or profession; or to become well skilled in the trade by which your living is to be made. Also that you "get on" in establishing a home for yourself and family.

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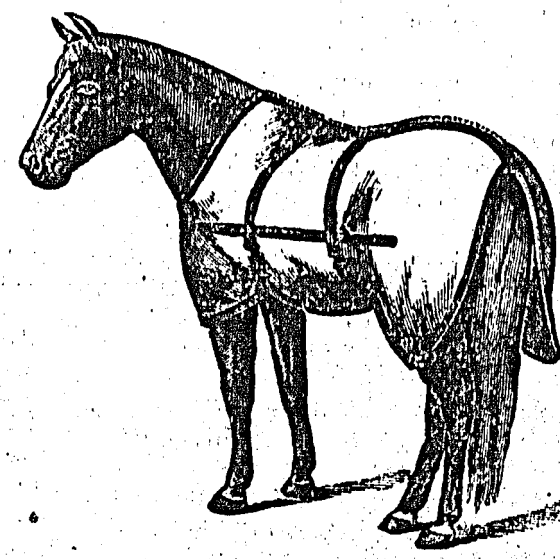
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C. S. SMITH.